

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Matthias Pirsch  
Serial No. : 10/565,350  
For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR EXAMINING CHEMICAL  
AND/OR BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES, AND OBJECTIVE CAP  
Filed: April 3, 2007  
Examiner: Derek S. Chapel  
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**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 2, 2010, the period for response having been extended one month up to and including June 2, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page **2** of this paper.

**Listing of the Claims** begins on page **3** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.